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### TRANSMITTAL OF ISSUE FEE

Sir:

Enclosed is Part B - Issue Fee Transmittal, Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due claiming SMALL ENTITY status, Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance, check no. 20890, and copies of our Transmittal of Drawings and drawings. Drawings are being submitted under separate cover to the Drawing Review Branch.

Respectfully submitted,

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## COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

Applicant agrees that the Examiner has accurately stated one reason for allowance of the claims. However, the claims include other patentable aspects that were not identified by the Examiner. This response is submitted to avoid the possibility of any unnecessary limitation on the scope of the claims which might result from the stated reason for allowance. It is being submitted concurrently with the issue fee payment.

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# TRANSMITTAL OF DRAWINGS

Sir:

Enclosed is a copy of a full set of drawings which were submitted on August 7, 2001 in connection with the above application. The Notice of Allowability indicated that the drawings submitted on January 25, 2001 were accepted by the Examiner.

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